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**REMARKS**

A Notice to File Corrected Application Papers was mailed December 13, 2001 wherein Applicant was instructed to provide substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR §1.84. In response, Applicant hereby timely submits substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR §1.84 together with a copy of the Notice, as requested.

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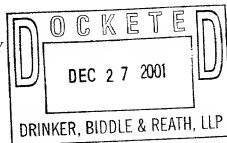
The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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